PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the profession of engineering has made important contributions in the growth of modern civilizations and the advancement of America so that our country today enjoys a position of leadership among the nations of the earth; and

WHEREAS, engineering has been a key to our progress and a vital factor in the development of our beautiful cities, our transportation and communications systems, our mighty industrial machines, and our better public health; and

WHEREAS, the development of our present day society has been due in large part to the engineering profession, which was instrumental in offering its vast experience, technological skill, training and scientific genius for the benefit of humanity; and

WHEREAS, in pursuance of its objectives the profession is governed by a high standard of ethics; and

WHEREAS, it is fitting to honor the profession at a time when we celebrate the birthday of George Washington, who was eminent as an engineer;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ARCHIE GUBBRUD, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of February 17 to 23, 1963 as

ENGINEERS' WEEK

and urge every citizen of South Dakota to join in paying special recognition to the achievements of the engineering profession and its members.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 5th day of February in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred sixty-three.

Archie Gubbrud

ARCHIE GUBBRUD, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Evan Hultman, SECRETARY OF STATE

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